



Walter Reed Army Medical Center Statistics

- Largest Military Treatment Facility (MTF) in Department of Defense (DoD)
- Home of Warrior Care and the Flagship of Army Medicine
- Celebrated 99 years of continuous service on 1 May 2008
- 113 acres, 74 buildings
- 296 beds, 60 Outpatient Clinics, 16 Operating Rooms
- Largest inpatient Behavioral Health capability in DoD with 37 beds
- 10,097 admissions (2007)
- 604,000 Visits to Hospital Clinics (2007)
- 170 Average Daily Inpatient Census
- 51 Average Daily Warrior in Transition Inpatient Census
- 4649 staff (including 1219 officers, 768 enlisted, 1917 civilians and 745 contractors)

Mission

As America's hospital, Walter Reed provides care to past, present, and future warriors and to all those entrusted to our care.

A National Treasure

The name "Walter Reed" is synonymous with American generosity, scientific leadership and selfless contributions to improving well-being and reducing human suffering. In places in the world today where little or no English is spoken, the name of Walter Reed is known and revered. Many do not know--or care--that he was an Army doctor.

The medical care we provide today at Walter Reed is a tribute to the legacy of medical excellence, personal character and the professional achievements of MAJ Walter Reed. Army Medicine and this institution have proudly kept his name on this facility to symbolize his impact on global health improvement and to highlight the power of military medicine in our National Security Strategy.

Home of Warrior Care

Since the start of the Global War on terrorism, Walter Reed has treated over 7800 Service Members wounded in Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom. Warriors in Transition arrive here, often less than a week after injury in the combat zone. Our staff wraps their arms around them and provides comprehensive, innovative care that integrates the latest available technologies and practices.

Walter Reed is the only DoD facility with a primary care clinic (Warrior Clinic) dedicated solely to Warriors in Transition. It is also the home of the first and largest Soldier Family Assistance Center (SFAC) – a one stop shop for all administrative support for Warriors in Transition and their families. Since the Military Advanced Training Center (MATC) opened



September 13, 2007, it has been setting world class standards of care and providing the leading edge in rehabilitative as well as prosthetic care. This is a comprehensive rehabilitation effort, shared between the Medical Center and the MATC, a physical therapy center designed for easy use by amputees, and supports the goal of returning Soldiers to duty. One Warrior in Transition stated, "This is where magic happens."

Cradle of Physicians & Research

Graduate Medical Education (GME) is a critical mission of the Walter Reed Army Medical Center. Walter Reed is the major hospital providing education for the 66 physician education programs in the National Capital Consortium (NCC), the sponsoring institution for the Graduate Medical Education training programs in the National Capital Area. 46% of all Army GME training programs and 34% of all Navy GME programs are full under the NCC. With a total enrollment of 728 physicians, Walter Reed produces 28% of all Army physicians and 23% of all Navy physicians.

Walter Reed's Department of Clinical Investigation (DCI) is the largest in the DoD with more than 800 active protocols. DCI supports the vital research that is essential to the medical center's graduate education programs.

Centers of Excellence

Walter Reed proudly houses numerous Centers of Excellence which conduct world renowned, state of the art treatment and research in:

- Prostate Cancer
- Breast Care
- Gynecological Disease
- Integrative Cardiac Health
- U.S. Military Cancer Institute
- 3D Imaging Center
- Gastroenterology/Liver disease
- Vaccine Health
- Defense Veterans Brain Injury Center

Partnership with the Department of Veterans Administration

Walter Reed is partnering with the Department of Veterans Affairs in a pilot program to simplify the physical disability evaluation process. We have reduced a large backlog of medical evaluation board cases by doubling or tripling the manpower allocated to handle these cases. And we have ensured that our warriors in transition are fully supported by the Triad of Care: a squad leader, a registered nurse case manager and a primary care manager.



Deployment

In 2007, Walter Reed deployed 427 Soldiers (102 OIF, 12 OEF, 313 to other support operations) for an average of 136 days.

Leadership

Maj. Gen. Carla G. Hawley-Bowland

Commanding General, Walter Reed Army
Medical Center and North Atlantic Regional
Medical Command

Col. (P) Patricia D. Horoho

Commander, Walter Reed Health Care System